# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE





SB 827 - HB 1348

March 9, 2019

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires a person seeking expunction of multiple offenses to petition the court in which the most recent conviction occurred. Requires the clerk of the court to serve the petition on the district attorney general for the judicial district of the most recent offense and any other judicial district in which the person was convicted of an offense sought to be expunged.

## **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

## Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-32-101(g)(3), a person seeking expunction is required to petition the court in which the petitioner was convicted of the offense sought to be expunged, and the clerk is required to serve the petition on the district attorney general for that judicial district.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-32-101(k)(4), a person seeking expunction for multiple offenses is required to file a petition as outlined in Tenn. Code Ann. § 40-32-101(g)(3).
- Any impact to the court system resulting from specifying the court in which a person seeking expunction for multiple offenses is required to file a petition for such expunction is estimated to be not significant.
- Any impact to the court system resulting from requiring court clerks to serve such petitions on all applicable district attorney generals is estimated to be not significant.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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